

WILL RUSH WORK FOR THE BUILDING FOR GOVERNMENT

Structure Will Be Leased for Use of Department of Agriculture.

F. A. Nesbit & Co., builders, today started the construction of the building on Fourteenth street southwest, opposite the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, for a width of ninety feet, to make way for the new six-story building for the Department of Agriculture.

After eight months of negotiation a deal has been closed to build a new structure to house two bureaus of the department. The investment will be about \$200,000. At first an eleven-story building was proposed, but, according to Arthur W. Hall, architect, the Fine Arts Commission objected to its height upon the ground that it would detract from the Washington Monument.

Winthrop's Scheme Not Quite Successful

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Beakman Winthrop, one of the busiest men in the department, has for a long time been bothered by the constant influx of Congressmen and others desiring interviews regarding the advancement of their constituents. About two-thirds of Winthrop's time is being taken up in conferring with these privilege and patronage seekers.

Morgan Treasures In Art Are Moved

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Jacques Seligmann, who went to London with J. Pierpont Morgan to superintend the removal of Mr. Morgan's treasures to this country, has returned to New York.

Wilkie to Send "Canned" Speech to Classmates

Chief J. A. Wilkie, of the Secret Service, is preparing an address for the annual reunion of the Summer Literary Society in Chicago early in April. Chief Wilkie will stay in Washington, though. He is sending a "canned" speech to the reunion—a dictaphone record.

Government Is Blamed For 25,000 Unemployed

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—"At the most conservative estimate there are 25,000 job-hunting men in Chicago for whom there is no work. There is something wrong with a government in which such conditions can exist. None of you are enthusiastic over any political party. Some day a way will be found to avoid unemployment."

Washington Motor For Army Aeroplane

A Washington-made aeroplane of the rotary type is to be given a test by Capt. Paul Beck, of the Army Aviation School, at Augusta, and if given satisfaction it is probable some Government biplanes will be equipped with it. The motor is made by the Gyro Motor Company, of this city. It was invented by E. Bechler.

Wants Lincoln Picture.

Senator Dillingham has introduced a bill in the Senate providing for the purchase of a portrait of Abraham Lincoln to be placed in the Capitol. The painting is by William D. Murphy and the bill carries an appropriation of \$4,000.

Market in Dumps, Marked by Professional Trading STOCKS ADVANCE IN THE EARLY TRADING, BUT DECLINE IN AFTERNOON.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—That terse and well-known telegram of the Irish railroad superintendent to his superior: "On again, off again, Finegan," describes vividly the condition of the New York stock market these days. Stocks open about as the level of the day before, sell up a point, or more in a spurt of early trading, and in the dullness of the afternoon slack back to the opening figures. This has been repeated for several days. The market is really hung fast, under the influence of professional trading and the operations of pools on specialties.

Today's New York Stock Exchange Prices

Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members of New York Stock Exchange, Washington Stock Exchange, and Chicago Board of Trade, Hibbs Building.

Table with columns for INDUSTRIALS, RAILROADS, and BONDS, listing various stocks and their prices.

New York Cotton Market.

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to 5.70, the maximum price of the independent refiners, and sugar stock went up a point on the strength of the advance. Union Pacific and other rails had their morning rise and their afternoon setback. Steel was notably weak, due, some think, to the large short interest, which is overdue, and the stock seems hung in the balance waiting for something to happen, but no one seems wise enough to say whether it will be killing for the shorts or a wedge-entering for the bulls to boost the market and drive out the short selling.

For the present it is a waiting market, with prices showing little on which to base either optimism or pessimism as to the situation two weeks hence. The market became very dull about noon and remained so during the first hour of the afternoon. Many minutes passed at times between trades, and the exchange took on a lifelessness it has not known for some time. Two hours in the morning about exhausted the professional trading for the day, and matters were allowed to drift until late in the afternoon, when a slight activity developed in the evening up sales just before the close.

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Bid and Asked on Local Exchange

Table listing various stocks and their bid and asked prices on the local exchange.

Wholesale Produce Market

Eggs—Nearby, fresh, 34 1/2c per doz. Cheese—New York, new, 20c per lb.; flat, 18c per lb. Butter—Best, 19 1/2c per lb.; tub, 20c per lb.; process, 21 1/2c per lb.; undergrades, 22c per lb.

Experts on Weights In National Conference

A national conference on weights and measures of the United States will be held at the Bureau of Standards tomorrow and Friday. The conference will be attended by the superintendents of weights and measures of the various States and inspectors from the principal cities of the country. It will have as its purpose the furtherance of the work of standardizing the weights and measures and unifying the laws and procedure in the various States.

Sales Today On Local Exchange

Table listing various stocks and their sales on the local exchange.

Milwaukee Today Is 75 Years Old

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 14.—Seventy-five years ago today the village of Milwaukee was organized with Solomon Juneau as first president of the village board. At that time the village boasted of a population of a little less than 700, which has since increased to 375,000, according to the latest census.

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